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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE undersigned are requested to present them on or before the 30th September; and all persons indebted to the same are requested to call and settle before that date. G. C. KEAYS.
Victoria, 6th Sept., 1878. se7

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

In the matter of J. A. WEBSTER, an insolvent.

A DIVIDEND SHEET HAS BEEN PREPARED, open to objection, at the office of Messrs. WELCH, RITHET & Co., unti the Twentieth day of September instant.
R. P. RITHET, Assignee.
Victoria, B. C., 11th September, 1878. se12

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NOTICE.

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Victoria, Aug. 30th, 1878. se1

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

To Capitalists and Contractors.

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA WILL REceive proposals for constructing and working a line of Railway extending from the Province of Ontario to the waters of the Pacific Ocean, the distance being about 2000 miles.

Memorandum of information for parties proposing to Tender will be forwarded on application as underneath. Engineers' Reports, maps of the country to be traversed, profiles of the surveyed line, specifications of preliminary works, copies of the Act of the Parliament of Canada under which it is proposed the Railway is to be constructed, descriptions of the natural features of the country and its agricultural and mineral resources, and other information, may be seen on application at this Department, or to the Engineer-in-Chief at the Canadian Government Offices, 31 Queen Victoria street, E. C., London.

Sealed Tenders marked, "Tenders for Pacific Railway," will be received, addressed to the undersigned, until the 1st day of December next.

F. BRAUN, Secretary,
Public Works Department, Ottawa.
Ottawa, May 20, 1878.

NOTICE--EXTENSION OF TIME.

The date for receiving proposals under the above advertisement, is hereby extended to the 1st January, 1878.

F. BRAUN, Secretary,
Public Works Department.
Ottawa, 2nd September, 1878. se22

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE PARTnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, WILLIAM ANDREW MEACHAM and ITHIEL BLAKE NASON, lately carrying on business as Lumber Merchants and Miners in Cariboo, British Columbia, under the style of MEACHAM & NASON, and in Texas, United States of America, as stock raisers under the style of W. A. MEACHAM, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business at Cariboo will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Cariboo will be paid and received by I. B. Nason, and the business in Texas will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Texas will be paid and received by the said W. A. Meacham.

Dated the sixth day of September, A. D. Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

W. A. MEACHAM.
I. B. NASON.

WITNESS to both signatures: ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Richfield.
Barkerville, Sept. 7, 1878. se10dw1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS ADDRESSED TO THE HON. T. B. HUMPHREYS, PROVINCIAL SECRETARY AND MINISTER OF MINES, SHOULD BE MARKED "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Dept.,
Victoria, 23rd July, 1878. jy24dw2m

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia made in the cause of the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay against Ermenigildo Grancini, the creditors of Alfred Waddington, late of Ottawa, Civil Engineer, deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of February, 1872, are by their solicitors, on or before the 15th day of October next, to come in and prove their debts before Charles E. Pooley, Esquire, Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his office, Supreme Court House, James Bay, Victoria, Vancouver Island, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said decree.

The 22nd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.

Dated 17th day of July, 1878.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion St., Victoria, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.
jy17dw3m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as linen drapers, carrying on business at the Victoria House, Victoria, under the name of Denny & Spencer, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late firm are by the terms of the dissolution payable to William Denny, who will assume and pay all liabilities of the late firm of Denny & Spencer, and carry on the business on his own account.

Dated 2nd September, 1878.
WILLIAM DENNY,
DAVID SPENCER.
Witness—W. Pollard. se3

NOTICE.

HIE LEE, CORMORANT STREET, REQUESTS all persons who are indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the 15th of October next; and all persons to whom he is owing money are requested to present their accounts for payment before that date.
Victoria, 14th August, 1878. au15 2m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS TO THE HON. G. A. WALKEM, CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS & WORKS, ARE REQUESTED BY THE UNDERSIGNED TO ENDORSE THE WORD "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPES COVERING SUCH COMMUNICATIONS.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor-General.
Land and Works Dept.,
Victoria, July 22, 1878. jy22dw

POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—In offering myself as a candidate for your suffrages I deem it incumbent on me to state that if returned to serve you in the Dominion Parliament I shall give an earnest support to the Liberal-Conservative party, led by Sir John A. Macdonald. At the same time I shall not support that or any other party who may fail to fulfil the conditions of the Terms of Union and the Carnarvon Settlement.

Railway Construction has been unnecessarily delayed by Mr. Mackenzie's Government, and the fair fame of Canada has been tarnished by the failure of that Government to fulfil the obligations contained in the Carnarvon Settlement and the Terms of Union. The line from Esquimalt to Nanaimo should be built and construction on the Mainland commenced at once. As to the adoption of any *particular route* for the Railway, we can only suggest. There is no doubt, in my mind, that the route by way of Bute Inlet to Esquimalt is the most desirable from a national and economic standpoint. I shall not fail to urge that fact upon the attention of the Canadian Government and Parliament; but should I fail to convince them of the advantages of the Bute-Esquimalt route over all others, I shall favor the immediate prosecution of work on the line wherever it may be located. Overland communication is of the utmost importance to this Province. DELAY MEANS STAGNATION, and British Columbia should be the last to place in Canada's hands an excuse for further delaying the commencement of railway construction, by insisting on the reopening of the surveys, when a memorial has just been passed by the Local Parliament demanding immediate commencement of the railway.

Isolated as we are, I consider the Canadian Tariff unsuited to this Province. That Tariff was accepted by British Columbia in 1872 in the anticipation of the early commencement of railway construction. That anticipation not having been realized, I shall press upon the notice of Canada the importance of granting the Province the right to regulate its own tariff until the completion of the railway. Whether that right be accorded or not, I shall press for adequate protection to the producers and manufacturers of the Province so that they may compete successfully in our markets with the products of old established communities.

My constant aim shall be to harmonize sectional differences and allay sectional prejudices. I shall endeavor to work with all the members from the Pacific Coast so as to ensure a solid vote in the House whenever British Columbia's rights are attacked.

Every effort compatible with the honor and dignity of the Province should be made to secure railway construction during the interval that will elapse before the period fixed in the memorial just forwarded by our Government for withdrawal from the Union shall have expired. Failing to secure our rights, I shall be prepared to demand not only separation but indemnity for damages sustained through the broken obligations of Canada.

I believe that Canada is in honor and equity bound to pay the Province £50,000 in aid of dry dock construction, and if elected I shall press for the fulfilment of that as well as every other obligation.

To legislate in the interest of a united province will be my constant aim, and if honored with your confidence I shall do my utmost at Ottawa to check the influx of the Chinese and their employment on public works within the Province.

In conclusion, I beg leave to thank the many electors who have expressed their appreciation of my reasons for declining to submit my claims to the consideration of a self-constituted convention; and beg to assure every one who may feel an interest in the welfare of the Province that I shall endeavor, if elected, to the utmost of my ability to prove myself worthy of the confidence reposed in me.

With this assurance I respectfully solicit your votes and influence, and

Remain, Gentlemen,
Yours obediently,
J. P. DAVIES.
Victoria, B.C., September 16th, 1878.

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of JOHN CHENHALL, an Insolvent.

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C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, Sept. 10, 1878. se13dw

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POLITICAL.

ELECTORS! RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.

I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:

1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.
2. The erection of a Drydock at once as being, like the Railway, not only a Provincial but also a national necessity.
3. The importation free of duty of all material required for the rigging and fitting of ships that cannot be procured in this Province.
4. A just and equitable adjustment of both Export and Import Dues from a reciprocal point of view, which would benefit largely the Commercial, Mining Agricultural and Lumbering interests of the Districts as well as of the whole Province.
5. I would also strive to secure a new Postoffice for the thriving city of Nanaimo, and failing in that, some improvement at least upon the shameful neglect of its present postal facilities.

Other local and provincial wants which may call for legislative redress shall receive, if I am elected, my serious attention and warmest support.

I shall take an early opportunity of holding public meetings in the various sections of your wide and extensive district (of which due notice will be given) at which I shall, as also in private intercourse, fully explain the course I intend to pursue, and hope as the result of that to receive your generous support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. J. McLELLAN.
Nanaimo, June 14th, 1878. je30dw

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOOKE, LAK SAANICH, COWICHAN, NANAIMO AND COMOX.

GENTLEMEN:—The very great favor with which my proposal to become a candidate for the re presentation of Vancouver District in the House of Commons has been received, although just on the eve of an election, and the satisfaction manifested by my numerous friends from Sooke to Comox, induce me to add my name to the number already soliciting your suffrages.

Several years have elapsed since I contested and nearly carried the seat for which I am again an aspirant. Then I was comparatively unknown and a stranger to many in the District. From 1872 to the present time the exercise of my duties as Superintendent of Education has brought me into personal contact with most of the electors. I trust that nearly seven years' educational work has secured for me such a reputation as will induce you to believe that if chosen as your representative at Ottawa I shall carry the same honesty of purpose, industry and energy into the political arena that my many friends in every part of the Province give me the credit of having shown in the establishment and conduct of our school system.

Experience and observation have only confirmed me in the political opinions which I had the honor to enunciate when prosecuting my canvass in the early days of Confederation. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose by a change in the Government a Ottawa. I need hardly announce, therefore, that am still faithful in my allegiance to the party of which Sir John A. Macdonald is the leader. At the same time, if elected, I cannot promise to give that great party, either in opposition or in possession of the Treasury Benches, a blind, unreasoning and slavish support; because it can easily be imagined that questions may arise when to do so would be detrimental to the best interests of your large and influential district. Those interests shall always be paramount to every party consideration.

The claims upon the Dominion Government for the construction of the Island Railway, in which you are particularly interested, must be held inviolate. While other districts have been filling up with industrious immigrants, the settlement of Vancouver has been retarded by the withdrawal of all the Crown lands from preemption in the railway belt, thus rendering it impossible to form an estimate of the injury, direct and indirect, that has been perpetrated by the "how-not-to-do-it" policy of the Mackenzie Administration.

The present Tariff is not suited to all sections of the Dominion. I believe that a measure can be devised that will be fair and equitable to all the Provinces, and tend to foster and encourage manufacturing, agricultural and other interests throughout Canada. Being quite alive to the necessity of great caution in dealing with this question, I will here assure the electors that, if successful at the polls, their interests shall be made paramount to every other consideration when the proper time arrives for legislating upon a subject of so much importance.

With regard to questions of a local nature, such as postal, telegraphic, marine, etc., etc., which may come under the purview of the general government, I will, if returned, omit no opportunity of representing your wants and claims at the proper time and in the proper quarter.

No time will be lost in prosecuting a personal canvass throughout the district, and whenever practicable public meetings will be held, which will enable me to enter more into detail on the above-mentioned subjects, and touch upon others that cannot be discussed in the space usually allotted to an address of this description.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your very ob't serv't,
JOHN JESSOP.
Victoria, 9th Sept., 1878. se10dw

POLITICAL MEETINGS.

MR. JESSOP

WILL HOLD MEETINGS AT THE FOLLOWing times and places:—

Wain's Hotel, North Saanich, Monday, 30th instant, 7:30 p.m.

Agricultural Hall, South Saanich, Wednesday, 2nd October prox., 7:30 p. m.

Royal Oak, Lake, Thursday, 3rd October prox., 7:30 p. m.

All the candidates for the representation of Vancouver District and the public generally are cordially invited to attend. se24dw

MR. FRANK PAGDEN

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POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—I have to state MOST POSITIVELY that I will under no consideration relinquish the contest for representative to Ottawa, and for the following reasons:

BECAUSE—Both Mr. DeCosmos and myself belonging to the same Party, the election of either will make no difference to Sir John A. Macdonald.

BECAUSE—If the election is allowed to go by acclamation it will place Sir John in the false position of Junior Member. This, in the interest of the Province, is undesirable.

BECAUSE—I refused at the Public Meeting on Wednesday, 18th inst., to retire from the contest until my supporters desired their pledges returned to them.

BECAUSE—Mr. DeCosmos refused my challenge to contest, by an informal Election, the District prior to nomination day.

BECAUSE, my contesting the district with Mr. DeCosmos cannot jeopardize the return of Sir John A. Macdonald, as all parties are resolved on electing the great leader of the Conservative party at the head of the poll.

BECAUSE, this constituency is to be worked for and not to be a gift to anyone.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos has not issued his address, and I have stated plainly that I am a supporter of the Liberal-Conservative party. What assurance have the electors to-day that Mr. DeCosmos will adhere to Sir John?

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos has occupied a seat in the Commons ever since Confederation, and has not as yet intro duced and carried any measure in the interest of the Province.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos in his speeches has stated "that his has not met with a refusal during the whole of the political canvass," and I desire to test his veracity.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos is using the name of Sir John A. Macdonald to influence the electors on his behalf.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos was the only British Columbia representative who deserted Sir John when the Conservative party was defeated in 1873.

BECAUSE, my supporters, being of opinion that I can defeat Mr. DeCosmos at the poll on the 21st of October, desire that I shall contest the district.

BECAUSE, my withdrawing from the contest will not prevent any other person contesting for the seat.

BECAUSE, there being no danger of Sir John A. Macdonald being defeated, this constituency objects to Mr. DeCosmos riding into a seat upon the shoulders of Sir John A. Macdonald.

Your obedient servant,
J. P. DAVIES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—Having announced my intention of becoming a Candidate for the representation of this District at the ensuing election for the House of Commons, I may be permitted to explain my views on the leading questions affecting this Province.

1st—I believe that while we have a grievance against the Government of Canada for the non-fulfilment of Terms of Union, it would be highly injudicious on the part of the representatives from this Province to form a positive adhesion to either of the great political parties into which the Eastern Provinces are divided for the following reasons: 1st, because many of the questions which divide them have no existence among us; 2nd, because neither our people nor representatives can feel that interest in their politics which we otherwise would have done had Canada honorably endeavored to fulfil the railway obligations which she voluntarily incurred when we entered the Union. Entertaining this view, I shall, if elected, accord to the Government of the day a hearty support should their policy and actions indicate an immediate active, energetic commencement and continuous construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway through British Columbia.

Should Sir John A. Macdonald and party return to power, I should feel bound, if elected, to render him a hearty support in order that he may have a real opportunity of carrying out the grand scheme of a transcontinental railway across our own territory, and which was provided for in the Terms of Union which his Government negotiated with this Province.

Under the Terms of Union certain Orders in Council were passed by the Government of the Dominion declaring Esquimalt to be the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and a Reservation of the Public Lands from Esquimalt to Seymour Narrows, known as the 20-mile belt, was applied for by the Dominion Government and received by them from the Local Government and regarded as a portion of the Canadian Pacific Railway to all intents and purposes.

The Agricultural, Coal Mining and other interests would be promoted by the construction of the Island section as part of the Pacific Railway—the immediate prosecution of which would bring into active business life the entire section traversed. Farm products would find a ready market, labor of all kinds would be in demand, and as a consequence business would revive throughout the Province and confidence would again be restored.

Should, however, the Dominion Government find it impossible to retain Esquimalt as the terminus of the Railway on account of engineering difficulties, I would insist on an equitable indemnity for the whole line from Esquimalt to Seymour Narrows, as being justly due to Vancouver Island for the serious loss which we have sustained from the public lands between those two points having been locked up for such a lengthened period from pre-emption, settlement and development.

I would urge the necessity of more frequent mail communication throughout the District and Province generally, and would use my most earnest endeavors to obtain direct mail communication between Nanaimo and New Westminster, and would also do my utmost to obtain immediate Telegraphic communication between Nanaimo, Victoria and the other large shipping port of Burrard Inlet.

With regard to the Tariff question I entirely disagree with those who think that a variety of interests must necessarily conflict with each other. On the contrary, I maintain that the greater the number of interests we have in this district actually at work developing our varied resources the more certain are we of progression. I believe, therefore, that the tariff can be so readjusted as to be equitable to all, without increasing the present revenue tariff.

With regard to public and other buildings, such as a Drill Hall, etc., I would advocate that Nanaimo be placed upon an equal footing with the other cities of the Province. I will endeavor to visit every part of the District and will hold meetings, of which due notice will be given.

And, finally, should you favor me with your confidence, I can assure you that twenty years' residence in the Province—18 of which have been in the midst of your district—has enabled me to form conclusions which are more likely to be used to your advantage than can be expected from any other person whose interests and residence are outside of your district.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Yours respectfully,
D. W. GORDON.
COMOX, Sept. 18th, 1878. se27

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTFEMEN:—Owing to the expressed opinion of many of my friends, I have determined to retire from the contest to represent you in the Commons of Canada.

I beg to gratefully acknowledge the promises of support which I have received from you, and hope that in no far distant future I shall be able to avail myself of them.

I have the honor to remain, Gentlemen,
Yours very faithfully,
A. C. ELLIOTT.
Victoria, B.C., 23d Sept., 1878. se24

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Is a Candidate for the Commons in Vancouver District.
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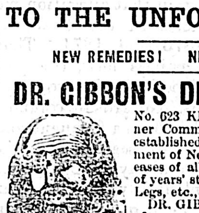

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NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Victoria District. To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE to the Electors of the Electoral District aforesaid that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Seventeenth day or August, 1878, I require the presence of the said electors in front of the Police Barracks, Bastion Street, in the City of Victoria, on Friday, the 4th day of the month of October, 1878, from Noon until Two of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating two persons to represent them in the House of Commons of Canada: and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on Monday, the 21st day of the month of October, in the year 1878, from the hour of Nine in the morning till Five of the clock in the afternoon, in each of the Polling Districts, that is to say:—

For that portion of Victoria District known as Victoria City is hereby alphabetically divided as the law directs for Polling Stations, namely:

No. 1. County Court Room, Bastion St., A. to C.
No. 2. Council Chambers, Government St., D. to H.
No. 3. Hook and Ladder House, Government St., I. to L.
No. 4. Central Hall, View St., M. to O.
No. 5. Deluge Engine House, Yates St., P. to S.
No. 6. Tiger Engine House, Johnson St., T. to Z.

Also that portion of Victoria District known as Victoria District, at the Richmond, A. to Z.

Also that portion of Victoria District known as Esquimalt and Metchosin Districts, at Parsons Bridge, A. to Z.

And further, that on Monday the 21st day of October, at 6 o'clock p. m., I shall open the Ballot Boxes, sum up the votes given for the several candidates and return as elected the two having the majority of votes.

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand this 16th day of September, in the year 1878.
THOS. HARRIS,
se17dw Returning Officer.

A By-Law to amend the By-Law Entitled a By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner.

WHEREAS FOR SOME TIME THE OFFICES of City Surveyor, Engineer of the Water Works and Water Works Commissioner have respectively been held by one person;

And whereas the said office of Water Works Commissioner has recently been separated from the said other offices, and it is desirable that a person other than the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer should be appointed thereto;

And whereas it is expedient to increase the amount of compensation to be paid to the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer for his service in those capacities;

Be it, therefore, enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. Thomas Russell, Esquire, Collector and Assessor of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, is hereby appointed Water Works Commissioner.

2. Whilst the said Thomas Russell shall continue to hold the office of Assessor and Collector of the said City of Victoria, he shall receive no salary or remuneration as Water Works Commissioner.

3. Section 2 of the By-Law entitled, "A By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner," is hereby repealed, but such repeal shall not revive any By-Law, or section of By-Law repealed by said Section 2. In lieu of the said Section 2, the following clauses shall be inserted:

The City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer shall, whilst he shall continue to be employed, receive as remuneration a salary at the rate of One hundred and twenty-five dollars per month.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Water Works Commissioner any City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer Salary By-Law, 1878."

Passed the Municipal Council this 11th day of September, 1878.
R. FINLAYSON, Mayor.
{SEAL} WILLIAM LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.
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A CARD.

HAVING HEARD FROM SEVERAL PARTIES that I was going, or had gone, into partnership with Mr. F. Reynolds, I wish to say that the statement is not true. I am not in partnership with him or any one else, and I am not interested, directly or indirectly, in any butcher business in Victoria, nor has he or anyone else ever asked me to become interested.
MATT. BOTTERILL.
Victoria, B.C. Sept. 24, 1878. se25

Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 29TH, 1878.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorised Agent in San Francisco.

WHO'S WHO?

"Oh! what a tangled web we weave
When first we practice to deceive."

In a preceding article we clearly showed that Hon. Mr. DECOSMOS, who is now seeking to ally himself to Sir JOHN MACDONALD and climb to a seat in the House of Commons on the strength of that distinguished statesman's great reputation, canvassed the district four years and a-half ago as a political friend and follower of the present Premier of Canada, and that he was returned to parliament at the time as such. To sustain that allegation we quoted from articles in the *Standard* newspaper of 1873 and 1874. That paper was then, as it is now, the personal organ (and perhaps the property) of Mr. DECOSMOS. Towards its columns Mr. DECOSMOS has been a frequent contributor; and it will scarcely be disputed that he has always dictated its policy. Coincidental with Mr. DECOSMOS' abandonment of Sir JOHN in 1873 his organ in this city threw the knight overboard and pronounced the evidence taken before the Royal Commission on the Pacific Scandal to be such as to "bring the blush of shame to the cheek of every honest Canadian." Mr. DECOSMOS says he was nearly 3,000 miles distant from Victoria when these words were printed here; and if there were not a wire extending from Victoria to New York the coincidence would be inexplicable. Again, when Senator CARRALL, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. NATHAN, Mr. DEWDNEY, Mr. NELSON, and other British Columbia representatives, tendered Sir JOHN, after his resignation, a banquet at Ottawa, Mr. DECOSMOS, remarking that he would be doubly blanked if he was going to ally himself to a dead horse (meaning Sir JOHN) refused to contribute towards that banquet, or to attend it as a guest. By another strange coincidence his organ at Victoria approved of his course and roundly abused the British Columbia members who had declined to abandon their fallen chief in the hour of his adversity. We take it that the statement that Mr. DECOSMOS did not write either of these articles is true; and it is a well-known fact that Mr. MCMILLAN was employed on the *Standard* as a leader-writer about that time; but Mr. MCMILLAN would doubtless state, if placed in the box, that he had no part in shaping the policy of the paper, which duty belonged to Mr. DECOSMOS or some one who represented him, and with whom he had telegraphic communication. The plea that Mr. DECOSMOS—who does not deny that articles hostile to Sir JOHN appeared in his paper in 1873 and 1874—was in New York city when his organ suddenly deserted Sir JOHN and espoused Mr. MACKENZIE'S cause, will not relieve him of responsibility, because it will be apparent to every thinking person that if Mr. DECOSMOS had stood firmly to his colors, his duty on his return to Victoria was to have repudiated those articles. We have searched the files of the *Standard* for any card from Mr. DECOSMOS on the subject and find none. There is nothing on record to show that he disapproved of the course of his organ—not a word or sentence to show that he was not in perfect accord with it. On the contrary, his organ abounds with such paragraphs as the following which we take from the *Standard* of March 2d, 1874, a date when Mr. DECOSMOS was still in town. (He had been elected as a MACKENZIE man, and did not sail for Ottawa some days afterwards.)

"There is no doubt but that Dr. Tupper will come up alone (from Nova Scotia) the only survivor of the *Charter selling apologists.*"

In an article on Friday, written to establish his reputation for consistency and to disprove our charge of desertion of Sir JOHN, Mr. DECOSMOS quotes from his address issued before his return in 1874 to show that he therein announced that he was attached to no party, but was really standing as an independent candidate. That address appeared *before* election. *After* election he would seem to have deemed it unnecessary to further play the *role* of independence, for on the 2d of March, 1874, a complimentary banquet was given in honor of him at Alhambra Hall. The speeches and proceedings of that demonstration were very fully reported in the *Standard* two days succeeding that on which the banquet took place. Mr. DECOSMOS spoke for about two hours. His speech occupied some three columns of his paper, and in it he is reported to have made use of the following unequivocal language:—

"If he (Mr. DeC.) must say it, he would do so now, that he believed THAT THE FALL OF SIR. JOHN A. MACDONALD WAS IN THE INTEREST OF THE DOMINION, AND WOULD EVENTUALLY PROVE A BLESSING TO THE COUNTRY. * * * Now with regard to the relaxation of the terms of union: Before the resignation of Sir John A. Macdonald that hon. gentleman had agreed with Sir Hugh Allan to extend the allowed time for the construction of the railway from ten to fourteen years; and Dr. Tupper himself had said that it could not be completed within fifteen years. The then Dominion Government had gone even further than this; they had made arrangements with Sir Hugh Allan for an extension of the time without consulting the Province of British Columbia, or saying one word on the subject to its representatives."

We do not know that a more decided avowal of Gritism than is contained in the above extract could be made. Not only did the gentleman predict that the downfall of Sir JOHN MACDONALD "would prove a BLESSING to the country;" but he endeavored to meet and palliate Mr. MACKENZIE'S "relaxation" scheme by declaring that *Sir John Macdonald had already extended the time for the completion of the railway without consulting the Province of British Columbia, or saying one word on the subject to its representatives!!!"* If we were to continue to make extracts from now till the election we do not think we could establish a stronger case against Mr. DECOSMOS than he has made out against himself; but there is one circumstance which we had almost forgotten, and as it goes a long way towards strengthening the case against the gentleman whose political career is now under review, we venture to state it: On his arrival at Ottawa Mr. DECOSMOS was given seat No. 48, which is on the Government side, three rows back of and in a line with the Premier's seat. It was the scandal of the session that he had telegraphed from Victoria to be assigned a seat "as near as possible" to Mr. MACKENZIE, and it was ever afterwards a standing joke at Ottawa that DECOSMOS was "as close to the treasury benches as he would ever get." One more quotation and we are done: The *Standard* of Friday, in defending its master, and seeking to prove that he had been offered for his support solid advantages by Mr. MACKENZIE which he declined, said:—"Before the resignation of Sir JOHN in 1873, Mr. DECOSMOS was offered by Mr. MACKENZIE one of the highest offices in the gift of that gentleman, should he attain the position of Premier, if he (Mr. DECOSMOS) would then oppose Sir JOHN MACDONALD and assist in his overthrow, and pledge himself to give Mr. MACKENZIE'S railway policy his undivided support. This offer was scornfully rejected by Mr. DECOSMOS, who refused to accept it at any such price." This statement, given nearly five years after the offer is said to have been made, bears a very suspicious appearance indeed; but when we have in our possession an emphatic denial from Mr. DECOSMOS *over his own signature*, that he was ever "offered or promised" a position by Mr. MACKENZIE, we feel justified in pronouncing it to be absolutely untrue. We quote from Mr. DECOSMOS' election address issued in March 1874, and place the quotation in juxtaposition with the extract from the *Standard* of Friday. Mr. DECOSMOS will surely scarcely claim that he was in New York when he delivered the speech at his banquet, or that he was personated by the "fellow that looks like me" when he issued his address. If Mr. DECOSMOS was right in 1874, the statement of his organ on Friday is wrong; both cannot be right:

[FROM MR. DECOSMOS' ELECTION ADDRESS, MARCH, 1874.]	[FROM THE STANDARD, SEPT. 27, 1878.]
For political purposes, and owing to a morbidly suspicious cast of mind, some persons have publicly stated that I am a secret agent of Mr. Mackenzie or of his Government. This statement I positively, unequivocally deny. I will add that *I hold no office of any nature under Mr. Mackenzie's Government, neither have I the promise of any appointment, although I would deem it no discredit to serve under him.* The statement has also been made that I have been *offered or promised by Mr. Mackenzie a seat in the Cabinet;* and also that I had been in correspondence with him on the subject. BOTH OF THESE STATEMENTS ARE WHOLLY UNTRUE AND WITHOUT COLOR OF FOUNDATION. * * * * A. DECOSMOS.	Before the resignation of Sir John in 1873, Mr. DeCosmos was OFFERED BY Mr. MACKENZIE ONE OF THE HIGHEST OFFICES IN THE GIFT OF THAT GENTLEMAN SHOULD HE ATTAIN THE POSITION OF PREMIER, if he (Mr. DeCosmos) would oppose Sir John and assist in his overthrow and pledge himself to give Mr. Mackenzie's railway policy his undivided support. This offer was scornfully rejected by Mr. DeCosmos who refused to accept office at any such price.

If, after the facts we have given above, there be people in this constituency who are still of opinion that Mr. DECOSMOS' past services in the cause of Conservatives entitled him to the honor of carrying Sir JOHN MACDONALD into Parliament by acclamation, their opinion will not find an echo east of the mountains."

TAKE NOTICE.

Ex Dakota I have received the celebrated Philadelphia Lawn Mower; Berrien's Mechanical Plaiter, Fluter, and Ruffler; Johnson's Plaiter; also, a large stock of the world-renowned first prize Osborn A Machines. The manufacturers of the Osborn machines issue a genuine certificate of warranty for five years to all purchasers, *but not for eternity.* Parties desiring machines or fittings can depend upon satisfaction by applying at the agency where is to be found the largest assortment of Machines, Needles, and Attachments in the Province. Repairs to machines neatly executed. In stock, Florence Family and Manufacturing, Grover & Baker Family and Manufacturing;

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THOMAS FLETCHER,
* Fort street, Victoria.

REMOVED,

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business

EX CITY OF PANAMA.—Shears & Partridge received their Second Instalment of Autumn Goodsc onsisting of Dress Goods, in all Wool Poplins, Saxony Serges, Black and Colored Cashmeres and Estermenes, Tweed Ulsters, Costumes, Shawls, and a very choice lot of Millinery Bonnets of the very latest London and Paris Fashions, the whole of which are marked very cheap to ensure a speedy sale.

LONDON HOUSE, Sept. 25th. *

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Love's Belief.

I believe if I should die,
And you should kiss my eyelids where I lie
Cold, dead and dumb to all the world contains,
The folded orbs would open at thy breath,
And, from its exile in the Isles of Death,
Life would come gladly back along my veins.

I believe if I were dead,
And you upon my lifeless heart should tread—
Not knowing what the poor clod chanced to be—
It would find sudden pulse beneath the touch
Of him it ever loved in life so much,
And throb again, warm, tender, true to thee.

I believe if in my grave,
Hidden in woody depths by all the waves
Your eyes should drop, some warm tears of regret,
From every salty seed of your dear grief,
Some fair, sweet blossom would leap into leaf
To prove death could not make my love forget.

I believe if I should fade
Into the mystic realms where life is made,
And you should long once more my face to see,
I would come forth upon the hills of night
And gather stars like faggots, till thy sight,
Led by the beacon blaze, fell on me.

I believe my love for thee
(Strong as my life) so nobly placed to be,
It could as soon expect to see the sun
Fall like a dead king from its heights sublime,
His glory stricken from the throne of time,
As thee unworth the worship thou hast won.

SKATING RINK, FORT STREET, will be open in all its old glory at half-past 2 o'clock this afternoon, and in the evening at 8. Charges as usual. A good band will be in attendance. Skates and floor are in splendid order. *

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Will sell at the cottage on Rae street, opposite Mr. Drummond's residence,
On Tuesday, 1st Oct., 1878,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
A number of Greenhouse Frames containing,
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A WORK HORSE.
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Will sell at salesrooms, Yates St., on
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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
A quantity of
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO NOON on Wednesday the 2nd inst., for the erection of a building corner Government and Pembroke streets. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JOHN DOUGALL,
se28 Cor. Government and Pembroke sts.

SAANICH AGRICULTURAL SHOW.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL GIVE A PRIZE OF Ten Dollars for the best WELLINGTON HORSE COLT, and a prize of Five Dollars for the best WELLINGTON MARE COLT placed on exhibition at the Saanich Show on Tuesday next.
T. W. CARTER.
HILLSIDE, Sept. 26, 1878. se28 2t

MUNICIPOL.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the City Clerk's Office to the 2nd October prox., at 4 o'clock p. m., for Grading and Graveling that portion of Johnson street between Vancouver and Cook streets.
Also, for graveling a portion of Fisguard street near the Masonic Temple, in accordance with the specifications of the City Surveyor.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order of the Mayor and Council.
WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office,
26th September, 1878. se28

CITY COAL AND WOOD DEPOT.

GASTON & ROBINSON BEG TO NOTIFY THEIR customers that they have removed their office from the corner of Bastion and Government streets to next door to Messrs. Denny & Spencer, where orders can be left. Orders may also be left at the following places:—
Messrs. FELL & Co., Fort street.
Mr. G. W. ANDERSON, Fort street.
M. J. GOSNELL, Douglas street.
Victoria, 24th August, 1878. au25

CHALLENGE.

THOMAS GAGEN, OF H. M. S. TURQUOISE, hereby challenges Mr. Tod, of Victoria, to run 120 yards level for $50 a-side. By sending a deposit to *The Colonist* office and articles to H. M. S. Turquoise a match may be ensured.
Esquimalt, Sept. 25th, 1878. se27

EXCURSION!

THE STEAMER
CARIBOO-FLY,
CAPTAIN RUDLIN,
Will leave Spratt's Wharf on **SATURDAY OCTOBER 5TH AT 8 O'CLOCK A.M. SHARP,** for the
COWICHAN AGRICULTURAL SHOW, MAPLE BAY.
TICKETS $1 50 each. A. BUNSTER.
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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY of thanking the ladies of Victoria for their patronage extended to her for the last ten years, and also begs to inform them that she has received an assortment of
BERLIN WOOL AND PATTERNS,
Which she offers at REDUCED PRICES, also Butterick's Fashion for Fall. Embroidery, Stamping, Pinking, Dressmaking, Plain and Fancy Sewing done to order.
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CORNER VIEW AND BROAD STREETS, VICTORIA.
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The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.
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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, BEING OBLIGED TO leave the Province on account of ill health, begs leave to tender his most heartfelt thanks to his numerous customers for the kind patronage bestowed upon him since 1862.
He has also great pleasure in recommending to them
MESSRS. LANGLEY & CO.,
From which firm they may obtain any of his various preparations for beautifying and preserving the HAIR.
Also, to
MESSRS. SHEARS & PARTRIDGE,
Of the London House, where may be had all the articles used by ladies in dressing the hair, fresh supplies of which will be constantly forwarded by the undersigned from Paris.
MESSRS. GEIGER & BECKER,
Of the San Francisco Baths, will act as agents for the undersigned in the sale of Wigs, Whiskers, Beards, etc., for use on the stage and other purposes, the stock having been placed in their hands.
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THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID BY the undersigned for Hides in good order:
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Delivered on the Wharf at Victoria.
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PRICE OF BALED HAY THIS MONTH (SEPTEMBER) - $17 50 PER TON
DO. LOOSE - - - $15 00 "
OLD OATS - - - - 2 CENTS
NO CHARGE FOR DELIVERY.
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J. WALL,
TAILOR,
HAS REMOVED FROM THE CORNER OF Yates street and Oriental Alley to
GOVERNMENT STREET,
NEXT DOOR TO THE ST. NICHOLAS BATHS.
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NORTH AND SOUTH SAANICH
AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.
THE ANNUAL
EXHIBITION
WILL BE HELD ON
TUESDAY, THE 1st OCTOBER.
A BALL
WILL BE HELD IN THE EVENING. ADMISSION, $2 FOR GENTLEMEN; LADIES FREE.
Haynes' Band will be in attendance.
By order of the Board
se25 ALEX. ANDERSON, Jr., Hon. Sec.

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EMPLOYMENT AGENTS,
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WE FURNISH FREE OF CHARGE TO EMPLOYERS at shortest notice, Cooks, Stewards, Waiters, Farmers, Engineers, Laborers, Blacksmiths, Carpenters Mill Hands, Teamsters, Miners, Coachmen, Hostlers, Gardeners, Painters, Wheelwrights, Clerks, Porters, Milkers, etc., etc. Also, competent Women and Girls, such as Housekeepers, Cooks, Laundresses, Waitresses Chambermaids, Seamstresses, Nurse Girls, and Girls for General Housework, Sick Nurses, Governesses, Teachers, etc. German, French and Scandinavian languages spoken by the proprietors, which gives us a great advantage when foreign help is called for.
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A PAIR OF BLACK CARRIAGE HORSES FOR Sale. Apply to the undersigned.
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FOR SALE--TO LET.

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385 ACRES OF EXCELLENT AGRICULTURAL Land, beautifully situated on Sooke Bay, being Sec. Nos. 63, 64, 65, 66 and 70, on the wagon road and fronting Sooke Harbor, with an extensive Cattle Range at back. For particulars apply to
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FIVE ACRES OF FIRST-CLASS LAND situated on Mount Tolmie Cross Road, near the Richmond, cleared and well fenced, with two Dwelling Houses thereon, one containing 10 rooms, well finished; the other 3 rooms, hard-finished.
A large cattle shed, a good barn, fowl-house, etc., and a spring well of water that never fails are on the premises. For particulars apply to
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200 ACRES OF GOOD FARMING LAND AT Chemainus.
165 Acres of, in part, improved Land, with Buildings thereon, situate in a good harbor at Lopez Island.
—ALSO—
On Lopez Island, adjoining the above, the Homestead right to and improvements upon 176 Acres of Land, together with a new two-story Frame Dwelling House, &c., &c.
Lots on Pandora street and Spring Ridge.
Apply to C. MORTON,
se22dw Land Agent, Langley St., Victoria, B.C.

FOR SALE

SEVERAL LARGE TRACTS OF FARMING Land at Matsqui, Fraser River.
A Block of 1,300 Acres of Farming Land below New Westminster, fronting on Fraser River.
1 34-100 Acres fronting on Douglas street, suitable for a private residence.
Several desirable Homesteads in Victoria City.
A number of desirable Building Lots.
Also, Money to Loan on Mortgage.
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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH BOARD, for three gentlemen, in a private house. Apply on Rae street, fourth house above Douglas. se18

FOR SALE.

THE RESIDENCE OF THE UNDERSIGNED, situated on the corner of Pandora and Quadra streets. A variety of fine Fruit Trees and a never-falling well of pure spring water on the premises.
se18 H. B. W. AIKMAN.

FOR SALE.

A FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE, WITH GARDEN, Fruit Trees and good well of water, within five minutes' walk of the Postoffice.
Inquire of H. GRIBBLE,
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FOR SALE.

A SPLENDID BAY HORSE, GENTLE IN HARness or under Saddle; can be driven by a Lady with safety, and can be used at ploughing or any other work on a farm. Apply to
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se5 1w Auctioneers.

SEALED TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNDERSIGNED up to noon of September 26th for Five Sections—63, 64, 65, 66, 70, Splendid Agricultural Land fronting on Sooke Bay. Highest tender not necessarily accepted.
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THE LARGE FIREPROOF BRICK STORE, lately occupied by Messrs. W. R. Clarke & Co., on Yates street. Apply to
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A WELL BUILT, HARD-FINISHED EIGHT Roomed Dwelling House, is healthily situated on a gravel subsoil on Chatham street, near Blanchard Avenue; has large grounds, a well of good water and convenient outhouses. Apply to
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NEATLY FURNISHED APARTMENTS, WITH OR without Board, on Yates street. Apply to
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TO LET.

THE THEATRE PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY, on Government street. Apply to
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A COMPLETE OUTFIT FOR A DAILY OR Weekly Newspaper, in perfect order including:—
A Washington Hand Press,
700 lbs. Bourgeoise;
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Full founts of Display Type;
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Victoria, B C., June 12th, 1878. je13

NOTICE.

MRS. REDGRAVE
HAVING RETURNED FROM SAN FRANCISCO wishes to give the public notice that she has resumed the business formerly carried on by her of DRESSMAKING, at the old stand Fort street, above Quadra.
Ladies' Dresses accurately Cut and Fitted in all the latest styles. MRS. REDGRAVE.
Sept. 19th, 1878. se20

C. F. BEAVEN,
CARRIAGE MAKER,
PANDORA ST, OPP. BROAD, VICTORIA.
HAS ON HAND OR IN COURSE OF construction a number of
CARRIAGES AND LIGHT BUGGIES
TOP-BUGGIES A SPECIALTY,
CAN BE SOLD CHEAPER AND ARE AS GOOD AS THOSE IMPORTED.
PAINTING AND REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. se7

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I WILL RUN MY HORSE "GOLD WARRIOR" against any Horse, Mare or Gelding in the Province of British Columbia. Distance Six Hundred Yards, Single Dash.
Weight, 140 Pounds on each; ask and answer;
FOR THE SUM OF ($250) TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS OR MORE,
In thirty days from signing of articles. Man and Money ready in Victoria.
J. W. HENNESSY,
se24du New Westminster.

REMOVAL.

H. C. WILSON
HAS REMOVED TO THE PREMISES next door to the Post Office on Government Street, where he will carry on his business on a more extended scale, and will keep on hand a large assortment of
PARLOR STOVES, COOKING STOVES
EUREKA RANGES, ETC.,
AT THE LOWEST RATES.
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A CARD.

VICTORIA, Sept. 21st, 1878.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Many persons think that we, the Chinese merchants of Victoria, have made the servants, cooks and others give up their places in consequence of Mr. Walkem wanting some of their money to go to the foot of the Throne with. Now, Mr. Editor, we beg to assure you that we have not had anything to do with this matter, and all persons who wish to resume their work can do so as far as we are concerned. The question of the tax will be before the Court soon, and we think thus justice will be done.

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TAI SOONG & CO.
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A GOOD FEMALE COOK, WASHER & IRONER, just from San Francisco, wishes a situation in some family. Wages low. Apply to
S. WHITLEY,
se27 Restaurant, Johnson street.

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WANTED

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A FIRST-CLASS TRIMMER AND TWO APprentices. Apply to
MRS. WILLIAMSON, Dressmaker,
se17 Fort st., next door to Dr. Ash.

WANTED

A COMPETENT FLOUR MILLER TO TAKE charge of a Flour Mill at Lillooet. References required. Apply to
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, B.C., 5th Sept., 1878. se6

WANTED

A GOOD GANG SAW FILER FOR MOODYVILLE Saw Mills, Burrard Inlet. Apply to
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, B.C., 4th Sept., 1878. se5

WANTED

A FEMALE SERVANT, TO COOK, WASH, IRON and do the house-work for a gentleman and two children. Address, "D. W.," *Colonist* Office.
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Royal Exchange Building.

FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY
GOVERNMENT STREET,
BETWEEN BROUGHTON AND COURTENAY STREETS.
MRS. L. H. WILTON
Receives by Every Steamer from San Francisco
FRESH FRUITS
Which are offered CHEAP for CASH. se7

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned, carrying on business as wholesale merchants in Victoria, under the firm name of Strouss, Briggs, Kurtz & Co.; and in London, England, under the firm name of C. Strouss & Co., having expired by limitation, the firm is dissolved. Parties having claims against the firm will present the same for payment at the office, Wharf street; and all those indebted are hereby notified that over-due accounts and notes not paid before the 10th of October, 1878, will be handed to an Attorney for collection. Mr. Jas. McB. Smith is hereby appointed to collect all outstandings, and authorized to grant receipts in the name of the late firm.
Dated at Victoria, September 13, 1878.
DAVID KURTZ,
THOS. L. BRIGGS,
C. STROUSS.
E. BLOOMINGDALE,
se15-1m by his Attorney, J. McB. SMITH.

SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD
WILL BE A CANDIDATE FOR
VICTORIA DISTRICT.
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GILBERT TOMPKINS,
WHEELWRIGHT, CARRIAGE-MAKER & BLACKSMITH,
HAS REMOVED TO HIS SPACIOUS NEW PREmises on Douglas and Johnson streets, and is now prepared to execute all work entrusted to him in the best style and at
THE LOWEST RATES.
EVERY DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLE
MADE AND WARRANTED.
FREIGHT AND FARM WAGONS A SPECIALTY.
Horseshoeing Carefully Attended to.
Orders from the Country promptly filled.
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FRESH IMPORTATION
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BEDROOM SETS in variety,
DINING CHAIRS in Walnut, Oak and Rosewood,
ROCKING CHAIRS Ladies' and Children's
EXTENSION TABLES, BUREAUS,
BEDROOM TABLES, WASHSTANDS,
CHINA MATTING, WINDOW HOLLAND,
MATTRESSES, Straw, Wool and Spring,
CROCKERY, LAMPS AND GLASSWARE,
STOVES and other goods too numerous to mention.
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OYSTERS! OYSTERS!
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
BY THE SACK, GALLON, QUART, PINT, OR BY THE HUNDRED.
I BEG LEAVE TO INFORM THE CITizens of British Columbia that I am Sole Agent of the Olympia Incorporated Oyster Company. I wish also to inform the public that the Olympia Incorporated Oyster Co. is the only Company that can produce a good oyster, as no Oysters are sent to market that have not been planted in extra oyster beds three years before they are shipped. Our Oysters are the best in taste and largest in size. Please call or address
J. LENOIR, Sole Agent,
se19 Yates St., near Government, Victoria, B.C.

CROWN SOAP WORKS
JAMES BAY BRIDGE.
THE BEST SOAP MADE IN THE COUNTRY, equal to any made in England or America, and
SIX CENTS PER POUND.
The attention of Housekeepers, Laundrymen, and Families especially solicited, as ONE TRIAL will prove its excellence and economy.
SECOND QUALITY FIVE CENTS PER POUND
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BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1862.)
AN AGENCY OF THIS BANK WILL BE OPENed in Holbrook's Stone Building, Columbia St., New Westminster, for the transaction of a general Banking Business, at an early date (i. e. as soon as premises are ready for occupation).
W. C. WARD, Manager.
Bank of British Columbia,
Victoria, 24th Sept., 1878. se25

J. FINLAYSON,
FAMILY GROCER
TEA AND COFFEE DEALER,
FORT STREET.
BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED AND ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of the city.

C. MORTON,
REAL ESTATE AND HOUSE AGENT
LANGLEY STREET, OPPOSITE ANGEL HOTEL.
RENTS collected, Loans negotiated, and a General Agency Business transacted. jy10dw2p

NOTICE.

MR. GEO. J. FINDLAY BEING ABOUT TO PROceed to England, requests that all claims against him be sent in to his office without delay.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 22, 1878. se24 1w

Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 29TH, 1878.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 28—Sch Industry, Nanaimo
Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Str Olympia, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Sept. 28—Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Sch Industry, Nanaimo
Str Olympia, Pt Townsend

EXPORTS.

Per bk Lady Head, for London—17,500 cs salmon, 1 cs personal effects, 2 pkgs furs, 2 pkgs horns, 1 pkg specimens. 3,600 lbs. wool, 1 pkg stationery,—Value $106,321.

SHIPPERS.

Per bk Lady Head, for London—Stahlschmidt & Ward, English & Co.

MARRIED.

At St. Roch's, on the 3rd inst., Maximilian Michaud of New Westminster, British Columbia, to Marie Euphrosine Celanie Dandurand.

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 27th inst., Edward Birt, infant son of John and Emily Birt Teague, aged 4½ months. The funeral will take place on SUNDAY next at 2 o'clock from the residence of the parents, corner Cook and Chatham streets, and from the Reformed Episcopal Church at half-past 2 o clock. Friends are invited to attend.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

Rev. Mr. Russ in Montreal.

At a largely attended missionary meeting, held at the St. James Methodist Church, Montreal, on the 9th September, Rev. Dr. Ryerson rose and interposed a few remarks, to the effect that he had recently met a family who, some time ago, went to France from America, strictly religious, who soon fell into the careless, godless habits of the Parisians, but who, chancing to drop into the Methodist chapel in Paris had been reclaimed. After an anthem had been beautifully sung by the choir, the chairman introduced the Rev. Mr. Russ, missionary to British Columbia, who referred to the vast resources, the beautiful vegetation and delightful climate of the Pacific Province. He said their missionary work in British Columbia was hearty, vigorous and prosperous. There were 150,000 Chinese on the Pacific Coast in California, Oregon, Washington Territory and British Columbia. They had had a Chinese mission-school in Victoria for about four years, conducted by a lady missionary, and they wanted more female teachers to do work among the Chinese, and to visit their haunts. They also had an Indian department in their missionary work. There are 300,000 Indians in British Columbia, but only a few missionaries laboring among them. In 1869, a Methodist mission was opened in Victoria in a place which was formerly a bar-room. Now they had three Sabbath-schools in that city carried on by missionaries. In Fort Simpson there are 1,000 Indians who, four years ago, were all in their heathen state. Now there are converted heathen laboring there as missionaries, and a church comprising zealous and very devoted members.

Sir John will Stand!

Yesterday Mr. Bunster received a telegram from Sir John Macdonald, who was then at Toronto, in which Sir John stated that if elected for Victoria he would sit as its member. A public meeting will be held to-morrow evening at Philharmonic Hall.

THE TONTIN ELECTRIC LIGHT.—Two electric lights are now employed in Paris, viz: the Jablochkoff candle and the Tontin electric light. The first is a method of subdividing powerful electric currents by means of a special burner or candle; the latter is produced by a battery of peculiar construction, by which the current of electricity is divided or concentrated at pleasure, whereby a great advantage in distributing is obtained. With a single machine thirty-six lights have been produced, and every light is independent of the rest. The machine is worked by mechanical power, and the light of 100 Carcel lamps is produced by half a horse power. A Tontin light at the Paris Exhibition has remained luminous for 51 hours. It is on exhibition at the Gaiety Theater in London, where it is worked by a small steam engine at *The Echo* office hard by. The appearance of the lamp is said to be very beautiful.

MEDEA.—In the time of the Romans, Medea was the California of the world. It was called Arabia Felix. It is now Arabia Deserta. It then contained 20,000,000 of people; it has now less than 2,000,000. Meda contains a mining region 300 miles in length and of equal depth. Captain Burton, who has just returned from an exploration of the country, states that the old mining works are most extensive, rivaling in some respects those of modern times. Shafts, smelting furnaces, and dumps of scorice and mining debris exist on the grandest scale. There are caves as extensive as the catacombs and fine aqueducts. In the minerals silver was visible to the naked eye. Medea was the Ophir of King Solomon, and, under English energy and capital, may again become a rich and fruitful land.

MARINE.—The ship Magdala from Yokohama, bound for Hastings' mill to load lumber for Shanghai, anchored in Royal Roads yesterday....The steamer Pilot arrived in port yesterday afternoon from Nanaimo having towed down the bark J. D. Peters, coal-laden for San Francisco. Owing to the heavy gale prevailing it was found impossible to take the bark out to sea, so the Pilot put back and dropped her at anchor in Royal Roads.

CONANT, the thieving bank cashier of Boston, turned over to his employers a large quantity of Sierra Nevada mine stock, which was then worth only $9 a share. The present price is $225, and the rise more than covers the loss.

THE CHINESE TAX.—No further attempt will be made by the Government to collect this tax. What are the Government going to do about the deficit that will now occur in the revenue?

THE candidates for Ottawa will address the workingmen on Monday night at the Central Hall.

TREASURE shipped per B. C. Express Co. yesterday, $11,768.

FOR LONDON.—The bark Lady Head will sail for London to-morrow.

POTATOES.—The dry weather on Whidby island killed the potato crop.

The Spread of Glanders.

The report for the past month of the Executive Committee of San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals makes the following statement regarding the spread of the glanders: "Of seven cases, four were brought to notice for the purpose of having the horses examined, and the information being uncertain as to their having the disease. There seems to be a feeling to stamp out this deadly disease, which is shown by the officers of the society being frequently called upon to examine suspected cases. The cases of glanders which have come under the notice of the society, we are led to believe, are but a small minority of those actually occurring, for the reason that it is for the interest of livery, sale, and boarding keepers to withhold the knowledge of such cases from the public, which they endeavor to do. Even the Potrero Company, which have the contract to remove dead animals, refuse to give any information on the subject. That the disease is quite prevalent, both in the city and in the surrounding country is beyond doubt. In the city, hay has been extensively distributed during the past six months taken from piles known to have been fed to horses infected by this disease; therefore it must have been rendered infectious thereby. In one case a horse which was reported to have derived sustenance from hay cars at the corner of Twenty-fifth and Valencia streets for five weeks, was examined by two eminent veterinary surgeons, and pronounced to be afflicted with glanders, in an acute form. Other horses have been killed by the Society's officers in the vicinity of Sixteenth and Brannan streets where their only means of obtaining food was from hay constantly left standing on the cars at the crossing of Sixteenth street and the Southern Pacific Railroad. Several of those horses were undoubtedly afflicted with glanders. A prominent veterinary surgeon stated to one of the Society's officers that a bale of hay fed from a glandered horse would effect a dozen others. From the country, we learn that at Milpitas, fourteen cases of chronic glanders were found on one ranch. At Modesto a number of horses were found afflicted with the disease, and one man had died from it, the disease having been contracted from horses. At San Jose, on the 9th instant, a man died from glanders taken from a horse at Milpitas; and at Pataluma, Mr. Snow, the Secretary there, informs us that the disease is developing there."

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived here at 3.30 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster with 228 sheep from Capt. Martley's run, Pavilion Mountain, 24 Chinamen and the following passengers: Mrs. Woodward and children, Mrs. P. Manson, Mrs. Churton, Mrs. Harper, Miss Sargison, Miss Riddle, R. B. Harper, T. Hannon, J. Herdeur, P. Murray, Felix Leduc, Rev. J. Dunn, John Gray, A. S. Vedder, C. B. Allen, C. Whitehead, R. Lawrence, J. Mantle, C. Chartres, D. McNaughten, B. G. Allen, Chas. M. Guinness, D. Condray, D. Southbey, T. Williams, O. Jackson, J. K. Bull, John Morrison, Henry Nice, C. R. Moore, J. Sexsmith, Isaac Fisher, F. Lorton, Geo. Deitz, R. McLeod, J. Morrisey, H. Hubbold, J. Moore and Capt. Martley.

NANAIMO.—*Free Press*—We are informed on reliable authority that the difficulties in reference to the partnership of Berryman & Co. have been settled, and that Mr. R. Dunsmuir will return next week by the steamship Dakota....The Right Rev. Bishop Seghers, after his long trip in the frozen regions of the north, arrived by the steamer last evening. To-morrow (Sunday) at the usual hour of morning service the reverend prelate will "bless" the new Roman Catholic Church on Wallace street. The Bishop will lecture at the Institute Hall this (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock on his travels through the vast Alaska Territory....The bark Revere, for Wellington coal, is the latest arrival.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise arrived here at 4:30 p. m. yesterday from New Westminster with 800 cases and 186 barrels of salmon and the following passengers on board:—Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Kinsman, Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Twvey, Mrs. Arthur, Miss Munro, Miss Maynard, Miss Jenkinson, Capt. Cooper, W. Charles, R. Irving, C. Strouss, A. Bunster, Sproat, McIntosh, J. Jane, J. Robson, Skinner, J. Cowper, D. J. West, W. T. Jarvis, Haslem, J. Woodland and T. Lewis.

GRAND DIAMOND RAFFLE.—At the Pavilion Skating Rink on the evening of Dec. 4th, 1878, B. C. Pettingell will raffle the large and well-known 5½-carat DIAMOND RING and PIN formerly belonging to J. Lovett. Two hundred chances at $5 a chance. The Raffle will be conducted in a way satisfactory to all ticket-holders, whether they be present or not. No ticket will be good unless paid for in advance. *

UNPAID TAXES.—Yesterday's B. C. *Gazette* notifies taxpayers that unpaid taxes become delinquent in Cowichan district (exclusive of Salt Spring and adjacent islands) on the 5th prox.; in Hope-Yale polling division of Yale District on the 19th prox.; in Victoria City on the 20th prox.; in New Westminister City and District on the 22nd prox.; and in Victoria and Esquimalt Districts on the 16th of November next.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamship City of Panama leaves Seattle at 4 o'clock this morning and will arrive at Esquimalt about 1 p.m. to-day, sailing for San Francisco at noon to-morrow. The following passengers were booked here to sail up to 5 p.m. yesterday:—G. J. Findlay, Robt. Burtie, C. R. Moore, G. R. McGinniss, I. S. Gray and J. Moore.

THE steamer Cariboo-Fly arrived from Nanaimo at 3.45 p.m. yesterday with the following passengers: Miss Munro, Miss Mayer, Messrs. J. Graham, J. Syme, R. D. Chandler, R. Wingate, D. W. Gordon. A. Finney, W. Davis, C. Hendley, Capt. McIntire, B. Spaulding and T. H. Williams.

HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICES will be held at St. John's Church this day—in the morning commencing at 11, and in the evening at 7 o'clock. We hear that the Church has been beautifully decorated for the occasion.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—The steamship Olympia arrived here from Puget Sound at 2 p.m. yesterday with freight and several passengers.

A SALE of Cooper delinquent stock was held at 12 noon yesterday, when the whole of it was bought in by the Company for the assessments.

NATURALIZED.—Joseph Rhode, formerly of Germany and now of this city, was naturalized at the County Court on Friday last.

NO BUSINESS of importance at the Police Court yesterday.

Clinton Assizes.

[Before Chief Justice Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie.]

Regina vs. Charlie—The prisoner was indicted for the murder of a white man in 1871.

The only witness was the prisoner's wife.

Mr. Bole objected to her evidence being received, and after a long argument the Court ordered an acquittal.

Regina vs. Carson—The charge was for stealing six head of cattle.

After a long trial the jury convicted the prisoner, who, owing to the fact that the jury recommended him to mercy, as also did the prosecutor, was only sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

Mr. Mason and Mr. Bole prosecuted; Mr. Davie defended.

Regina vs. Swanson—Larceny. The Crown asked to have prisoner bound over.

Mr. Bole objected and the Court ordered prisoner to be discharged by proclamation.

Regina vs. Wyadente—This case, murder, was postponed.

Mr. Bole for prisoner.

New Westminster District.

[Guardian.]

On Thursday last James Redmond charged Mr. W. J. Armstrong, J. P., before the Mayor, with having assaulted him. A dispute took place on Columbia street about $2 alleged by plaintiff to be due for wages, and finally the defendant struck the plaintiff. The charge was withdrawn on payment of costs by defendant, the claim having been previously settled out of court.

The improvement and extension of the city is going on apace. The magnificent new Roman Catholic College is rapidly approaching completion, and the Indian Church connected with that communion is about finished. Dwellinghouses are going up everywhere and are secured by tenants as soon as they are commenced.

The Assizes and County Court have both been fixed for one day, the 8th October. By arrangement the County Court will take the precedence.

The Chilliwhack agricultural show takes place on Thursday next *without* Government aid.

REMOVAL.—M. W. Waitt & Co. wish to notify their friends and patrons that they will on *Monday, the 30th September, 1878*, remove to *new premises* specially prepared for them in the building lately occupied by the Canadian Pacific Railway. The new premises being more commodious, affording increased facility for display, the public will have an opportunity of inspecting their large stock of New Books, Pictures, Fancy Goods and Stationery. American organs a specialty.

Thanks.—In re-opening Waitt & Co. wish sincerely to thank their patrons and friends for past favors, and hope by attention and civility, as well as keeping in stock only first-class goods, to merit a continuance of the patronage already so liberally and kindly afforded them. *dw

MORE NEW STORES.—Mr. Geo. J. Findlay (who leaves here on Monday for England) has instructed Mr. Tiedeman to prepare plans for the erection of two brick stores on the lot between Masonic Hall and the Metropolitan restaurant. The stores will be each 16x60 feet, and will be desirable for dry goods dealers....Mr. Spencer, we understand, is also about to erect a brick store on the lot adjoining the Occidental building.

BREWSTER WAGON.—Mr. Miller has just completed at his shop, corner of Fort and Pandora streets, an open buggy on the Brewster principle. The body rests on springs arranged in a novel manner, and which add to the strength and comfort of the vehicle without increasing its weight. This description of buggy took the first prize at the Centennial exhibition.

ODD FELLOWSHIP.—The Odd Fellows' Union of Victoria, British Columbia, was yesterday incorporated under the Charitable Associations' Act. The Union has been established in order to manage the joint property of the three Victoria Lodges in a satisfactory manner for the benefit of all the members of those Lodges.

BROWN & WHITE beg to notify their numerous patrons of the arrival of a splendid assortment of Dry Goods, comprising every novelty in the market. Special choice lines in Ladies' and Children's Jackets and Ulsters, Millinery, Flowers, Laces, &c., &c —Government St. *

THE "JESSIE OSBORNE," the British iron ship recently wrecked near the entrance to San Francisco harbor, will, it is thought, be got off, by stopping a hole in the bottom of the vessel.

MERCER, the wretch who libelled A. C. MacDonald's family at Portland, and then murdered Macdonald when he remonstrated with, him has been committed for trial on a charge of murder.

POLITICAL MEETING AT NANAIMO.—A large meeting was addressed at Nanaimo on Thursday evening by Mr. Gordon, Mr. Jessop and Mr. Pagden, three of the five candidates for the Commons.

MR. C. MORTON has been appointed agent in Victoria for the Proserpine Mining Co. The Company are building a shaft house preparatory to sinking on the ledge.

DUE.—The barks Ethel from Liverpool and Tokoten from Hongkong with general merchandise for this port are both fully due.

PERSONAL.—William Charles, Esq., H. B. Co., after an official visit to the company's trading posts on the Mainland, arrived here *per* steamer Enterprise yesterday afternoon.

THE nomination-paper of Sir John Macdonald as a candidate for the representation of Victoria city was signed yesterday by 25 electors.

THE German bark Evelina, with lumber from Burrard Inlet, has reached Algoa Bay.

AMONGST the Conservatives defeated are T. N. Gibbs, Peter Mitchell and J. B. Plumb.

HIXON CREEK.—A very rich vein is reported to have been reached in this district.

MR. D. W. GORDON, independent candidate for Vancouver District, arrived from the East Coast last evening.

THE Presbytery of British Columbia, in connection with the Church of Scotland, meets at Nanaimo on Wednesday.

MR. R. B. HARPER, late mining engineer, and wife, arrived last evening from Cariboo.

THIS IS MICHAELMAS day.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Ophir, 87; Mex 96½; G & C 24¾; B & B 35½; Cala 13⅞; Savage 29; Con Va 15½; Chollar 66½; Con Va 15⅜; H & N 37½; Point 10⅞; Jacket 31½; Alpha 20¼; Belcher 11⅜; Confidence 12¼; S Nev 258; Bullion 25; Seg Belcher 42; Overman 23¼; Union 1.92; Alta 6¾; Caledonia 5⅜.

THE steamer Olympia will sail at 5 o'clock on Wednesday morning for Fort Wrangel.

Is it a Forgery?

EDITOR COLONIST:—I imagine that your contemporary scarcely wishes to question the genuineness of the telegram received by Mr. J. H. Todd, from Mr. Bunting, proprietor of the Toronto *Mail*—the leading Conservative paper in Canada; and yet the insinuation conveyed in your contemporary of to-day affords room for no other opinion. If the Grits are interested in making it appear that Sir John is already elected for Marquette, then Mr. Bunting's signature to the telegram must be a forgery, and Mr. Todd who, to my knowledge, has always been a consistent Conservative—not a Grit to-day and a Tory to-morrow, like the editor of the *Standard*—must be a party to the crime.

Mind, sir, I do not for one moment believe that the telegram is a forgery, and sincerely trust that Sir John will still be found standing for Victoria; but the insulting reflection of the *Standard* on Mr. Todd and Mr. Bunting should not have been made without the proof of their complicity in a crime being at hand. Yours, etc., T.

Victoria, Sept. 28, 1878.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVELY TO THE COLONIST, THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Last Night's Dispatches.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Steps are being taken to create a financial commission in which there will be an Ottoman president and two foreign vice-presidents, one English and the other French.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 27.—A company, of which Oliver Eldridge is president, is about to commence the grading of wheat for shipment at Mission Rock warehouse. Three grades—numbers 1, 2 and 3—will be used. This plan has not heretofore been adopted in this market and grain operators are of opinion that it will have the effect of improving the standard of California wheat in foreign markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Julian A. Keef, the convicted gambler who cut his throat yesterday, died in the city receiving hospital at 1½ this morning.

The British ship Jessie Osborne, which went ashore outside the Heads last week, has been got off and was towed into the harbor this morning. She was taken to the dry dock at Hunter's Point, where she will be examined and the extent of damages ascertained.

Gen. Sherman arrived from the south to-day. He goes east on Sunday, direct for Washington.

SOUTHERN STATES.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 28.—Deaths, 55; cases reported, 119. Total deaths, 2,758; total cases, 9,021. The death list includes 32 children under seven years of age. Two children of E. W. Barnes died last night. Six of this family—father and five children—have died of fever. Two other children are reported improving.

DANIEL O'CONNELL ON DISRAELI.

He Calls Him a "Miscreant, Liar," and a Descendant of the Impenitent Thief.

The *Freeman's Weekly Journal* some time since produced Daniel O'Connell's atttack on Benjamin Disraeli. As a specimen of the great Dan's style of oratory, it may be read with equal interest and amazement: "Yet, sir, the 'No-Popery' cry is again raised in England, and every enemy to Ireland in that country does me the honor of directing the arrows of his malevolence against me. But I have risen to a magnitude I never thought I would attain by the quantity of slander poured out upon me through the medium of the English press. They make me a bugbear of the first magnitude, though any bug of my size would be a humbug—but, literally, nothing is more ludicrous than the importance they attach to my humble name. I am not accustomed to feel much surprised at their resorting to me 'for lack of argument,' but I must confess there is one of the attacks on me which excites in my mind a good deal of astonishment. It is this—the attack lately made at Taunton by Mr. Disraeli. In the annals of political turpitude there is not anything deserving the appellation of 'blackguardism' to equal the attack upon me. What is my acquaintance with this man? Just this. In 1831, or the beginning of 1832, the Borough of Wickham became vacant; I then knew him as the author of one or two novels. He got an introduction to me, and wrote me a letter stating that I was a Radical Reformer, and as he was also a Radical, and was going to stand upon the Radical interest for the borough of Wickham, where he said there were many persons of that way of thinking who would be influenced by my opinion, he would feel obliged by receiving a letter from me recommendatory of him as a Radical. His letter to me was so distinct upon the subject that I immediately complied with the request, and composed as good an epistle as I could on his behalf. I am not in the habit of letter-writing, sir, and Mr. Disraeli thought this letter so valuable that he not only took the autograph, but had it printed and placarded. It was, in fact, the only ground upon which he canvassed the borough. He was, however, defeated, but that was not my fault. I did not demand any gratitude from him; but I think if he had any feelings of his own he would conceive I had done him at least a civility, if not a service, which ought not to be repaid by atrocity of the foulest description. The next thing I heard of him was that he started upon the Radical interest for Marylebone, but was again defeated. Having been twice defeated on the Radical interest, he was just the fellow for the Conservatives, and accordingly he joined a Conservative club, and started for two or three places on the Conservative interest. How is he now engaged? Why, in abusing the Radicals and eulogising the King and the Church, like a true Conservative. At Taunton this miscreant had the audacity to style me an incendiary. Why, I was a greater incendiary in 1831 than I am at present, if ever I was one—and if I am he is doubly so for having employed me. Then he calls me a traitor. My answer to that is—he is a liar. He is a liar in action and in words. His life is a living lie. He is a disgrace to his species. What state of society must that be that could tolerate such a creature, having the audacity to come forward with one set of principles at one time, and obtain political assistance by reason of those principles—and at another, to profess diametrically the reverse? His life, I say again, is a living lie. He is the most degraded of his species and kind; and England is degraded in tolerating, or having upon the face of her society a miscreant of his abominable, foul and atrocious nature. My language is harsh, and I owe an apology for it; but I will tell you why I owe that apology. It is for this reason: That if there be harsher terms in the British language I should use them; because it is the hardest of all terms that would be descriptive of a wretch of his species. He is just the fellow for the Conservative Club. I suppose, if Sir Robert Peel had been out of the way when he was called upon to take office, this fellow would have undertaken to supply his place. He has falsehood enough, depravity enough, and selfishness enough to become the fitting leader of the Conservatives. He is conservatism personified. His name shows he is by descent a Jew. His father becomes a convert. He is the better for that in this world; and I hope, of course, he will be the better for it in the next. I have the happiness to be acquainted with some Jewish families in London, and among them more accomplished ladies, or more humane, cordial, high-minded or better educated gentlemen, I have never met. It will not be supposed, therefore, that when I speak of Disraeli as the descendant of a Jew that I mean to tarnish him on that account. They were once the chosen people of God. There were miscreants among them, however, also, and it must have certainly been from one of those that Disraeli descended. He possesses just the qualities of the imminent thief who died upon the cross; whose name I verily believe must have been Disraeli. For aught I know the present Disraeli is descended from him, and with the impression that he is, I now forgive the heir-at-law of the blasphemous thief who died upon the cross."

English Mail.

Sir Garnet Wolseley has established the rule in Cyprus that the English language shall be employed in all official business.

On August 30th the candidates in Kilkenny for the vacant Bishopric of Ossory, were the Dean of Cashel, the Dean of Ossory, and the Dean of Raphoe. The Dean of Cashel received the majority of votes.

A sea captain of Swansea has been fined five shillings a day for fifty-five days, and costs, for neglecting to serve out lime juice during the voyage between Bombay and Rangoon. One carpenter died of the disease.

The *Wrexham Guardian* states that Mr. Whalley, M. P., lies in a precarious state of health at the Tower, near Llangollen, and that his medical attendants have advised him to entirely give up his parliamentary and other public duties.

The medical profession intends it shall be at least as fully represented in the next House of Commons as the bar and other interests, and is making preparations accordingly. Dr. Andrew Clarke, it is said, will be urged to stand for the University of London. Sir Henry Thompson is also spoken of as a probable candidate for a seat.

Mr. Knox, the senior magistrate of Marlborough-street Police Court, has retired in consequence of ill-health. Mr. Knox, who was appointed about twelve years ago, distinguished himself by his efforts for the suppression of the disorderly scenes which were so frequent at night in the Haymarket and its neighbourhood.

In the *Standard* of August 31 a a Middlesex Grand Juryman notices that, whereas at the Middlesex Sessions a man who without violence stole £4 5s. from a women of bad character was punished by five years' penal servitude, a father aged fifty, who had criminally assaulted his own daughter, aged eight year,s was only punished by one year's imprisonment.

A most scandalous scene took place at Claydoncum—Akenham churchyard a few days ago between the rector, the Rev. Geo. Dury, and Mr. Tozer, dissenting minister. The rector not only refused to bury an unbaptised child but entered into a disgraceful wrangle, at the close of which one rev. gentleman told the other to "go to Heaven," whereto the other expressed his indifference where his spiritual brother went.

Great Britain produces nearly one-half of the whole coal extraction effected by other nations. In a word, her immense supremacy over others is exhibited in the fact that the nation mined thirty-nine tons per head of its population—the corresponding proportion in the case of Belgium being twenty-eight tons, the United States ten and one-half, France four and three-fourths, Prussia seventeen, and Austria three and one-half.

Scene at an Italian Court-Martial.

The reader must accompany me to Genoa, to the military tribunal there. On the bench of the accused sits a private soldier, Paolini by name, just let out of solitary confinement in the prison at Savona. The first use, it seems, to which he put his freedom was to incur a reprimand from the corporal, and to hurl a volley of insulting epithets at him and the superior officers. Among the witnesses of the defense is one Oreste Mariani, another jail-bird set at liberty from Savona. He, too, is a private soldier, 25 years of age; while a "fiscal" witness, or witness for the prosecution, is Corporal Cazzaniga, employed under the Governor of the prison—the same corporal, in fact, whom the accused had insulted.

The Court had just withdrawn to hold a consultation when Corporal Cazzaniga happened to walk pass the witness, Mariani. This fellow, armed with an awl which he had contrived to conceal about his person, flung himself on the corporal and dealt him three wounds in rapid succession. Soldiers, subalterns and officers at once surrounded the infuriated assailant and dragged him to the guard-room, where he was pinioned. Meanwhile the wounds he had inflicted on the corporal were found to be serious, particularly one between the tenth and eleventh ribs. The weapon with which they were dealt was searched for on the prisoner, but without success, till it was found sticking under a bench in the guard-room where he was secured.

During all this tumult the accused Paolini had gradually sided up to the judge's bench. One of these, a Captain, seeing him so near, and suspecting him of some sinister purpose, told him to undo his clothes and show he had no weapon concealed about him. None was found, and the Captain made him take off his shoes. The fellow demurred. The Captain insisted, till with much needless delay Paolini slipped of one shoe, and holding it by the tip, struck the Captain a violent blow in the face with the heel. The officer fell stunned. At this point the excitement and confusion became indescribable. The public, who were only adding to the tumult, were made to withdraw, and the Court proceeded at once to try the witness Mariani, who wounded the Corporal. The Public Prosecutor pleaded for capital punishment. The Advocate Ernesto Valle, having undertaken Mariani's defense, asked in vain for a postponement of the trial, urging that the fellow had acted under maniacal impulse, and was in fact irresponsible. The Court found for the Public Prosecutor, holding that the act had been brought before the tribunal, and the blow he had dealt one of the presiding judges demanded the penalty of death in his case also. Strange to say, the court found in him, what it had failed to find in Mariani, a state of morbid excitement which rendered him irresponsible for the moment. It condemned him accordingly to twenty years' solitary confinement for the offenses which he was charged, and five years' solitary confinement for the assault on the captain—twenty-five years in all. —*Rome Corr. London Daily News.*

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Sept. 18. THOS. WILSON & Co. *

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THE COMMONS.—Mr. Wm. Dalby will be a candidate for the Commons in Victoria District. *

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D. GUTMANN, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C, 25th Sept., 1878. se26

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Location of Works - Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo, B C.

ASSESSMENT NO. 1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 26th day of August, 1878, an assessment of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the said Company, payable on the 6th day of September, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any Stock upon which said Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 27th day of September, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 28th day of October, 1878, to pay the delinquent Assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON,
se9dw Secretary, Barkerville, B.C.

NOTICE.

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY GENERAL meeting of this company will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, in the City of Victoria, on Tuesday, October 1st, 1878, at 3 o'clock p.m. By order C. MORTON, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 3rd, 1878. se3

OFFICE OF THE
ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE FIRST ASSESSMENT OF TWENTY CENTS per share on the Capital Stock of the above Company, levied on the 20th September, and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, will be delinquent on the 21st day of October, 1878.

By order,
D. GUTMANN, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 20, 1878. se21dw

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Principal Place of Business - - Victoria
Lolation of Works - - - - - - - Cariboo

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CALL No. ONE (1) of Five Cents per Share upon the Capital Stock of the Cooper Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited), made on the Tenth day of April A. D. 1878, is now due and unpaid in respect of the Shares hereinafter specified, and that there are now due and unpaid upon the following described Shares, on account of the said assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such shares, namely:—

Name	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
John Kurtz	46	50	2 50
do	51	106	5 30
do	52	1406	70 30
Van Volkenburgh Bros	101	100	5 00
do	102	100	5 00
do	103	100	5 00
do	91	100	5 00
do	104	100	5 00
Wm. P. Sayward	281	50	2 50
Richard Allen	635	100	5 00
do	636	100	5 00
do	639	100	5 00
do	642	100	5 00
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do	699	98	4 90
do	748	30	1 50

The above mentioned Shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amounts due, with interest thereon at the rate of One per cent. per month from the Twelfth day of May, A. D. 1878, and expenses, will be sold at Public Auction at the British Columbia Mining Stock Board Room, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday the 28th day of September, 1878, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon.

Dated 3rd September, A. D. 1878.
By order of the Directors.
se3dw C. MORTON, Secretary.

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ABOVE Company will be held at Barkerville, on Thursday, October 3d, for the election of Directors. The Company's books will be closed on the 19th of September. Parties who cannot attend will please forward their proxies to the Secretary.

CHAS. WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, Sept. 3rd, 1878. se4dwtd

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING CO., LIMITED.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS WHO MAY FIND IT IMPOSsible to attend the General Meeting of this Company at Barkerville, on October 3rd, are requested to send proxies (forms to be obtained on application to Mr. Chas. Morton, Langley street, Victoria). Shareholders will please observe that Clause 45, Articles of Association, takes away the right to vote unless all calls have been previously paid.

CHARLES WILSON,
Barkerville, B. C., Sept. 7, 1878. se15

FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY,
(LIMITED).

ASSESSMENT NO. 1 OF THREE-FOURTHS (¾) of one cent. per share has this day been levied, and is payable at the Company's Office in Stanley, or at their Office in Victoria, B. C., on or before Monday, 30th September next, and will be delinquent on that day. By order of the Directors.

W. W. DODD, Secretary.
Stanley, B. C., Aug. 30, 1878. se11

THE FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THIS COMPANY has been removed to Langley street, nearly opposite the Angel Hotel.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE,
au30 Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING CO., (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 4 OF TWO AND A-HALF cents per Share has this day been levied, payable at the Company's office in Victoria on or before Tuesday, 24th September next, and will be delinquent on that date. By order of the Directors.

G. A. SARGISON.
Victoria, 29th August, 1878. au30

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Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	do do	On the 10th & 30th days of each month.
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Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M.....	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo, Wellington and offices on East Coast.	Thursdays and every alternate Saturday at 5 P.M..	Mondays and every alternate Thursday at 6 P. M.
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R. WALLACE, POST OFFICE INSPECTOR.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1878. au14

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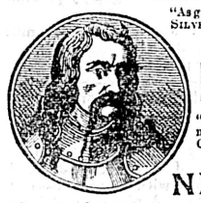

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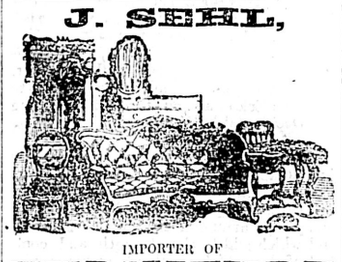

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Is now making regular semi-weekly trips between the above ports on Fraser River.
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EDUCATIONAL.

ST. ANN'S CONVENT SCHOOLS.

THE ABOVE INSTITUTION WILL REOPEN both on Humboldt and View streets, on Monday next, Sept. 2 at 9 a.m. au28

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R. E. GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

THE REFORMED EPISCOPAL GRAMMAR School, Humboldt street, will reopen on Thursday, 1st August. J. F. SMITH,
jy31 Master.

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CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE BEEN commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under eight years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

REMOVAL.

MR. JOHN TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT
HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO
GOVERNMENT STREET, BELOW FORT,
Opposite the Hook and Ladder House.

I. O. G. T.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LODGE No. 1, I. O. G. T. meets every Friday Evening at 8 precisely, at their Hall, Yates street.

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